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SUBJ: ELECTRONICS TRADE MISYCON, JANUARY 1975

REF: USDOC 9390, MADRID OM 14 JUN 1974

1. POST INCLUDING INFORMATION ON PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT FOR ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS IN ANNUAL CERP INDUSTRIAL OUTLOOK REPORT ON ELECTRONICS. HOWEVER, DELAY OBTAINING STATISTICS FROM MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY MEANS REPORT WILL NOT BE READY UNTIL LATE AUGUST (REF OM).

2. TIR STUDY ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS-SPAIN (MADRID A-301, 17 DEC 1973) STATES TREND IS, "FASTER GROWTH RATE IN PRODUCTION THAN IN IMPORTS." THIS IMPLIES INCREASING DEMAND FOR PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT. POST HAS ALSO RECEIVED NUMBER OF INQUIRIES BY AMERICAN FIRMS INTERESTED IN STARTING COMPONENT PRODUCTION IN SPAIN. APPEARS MARKET IS HOT BUT MAY BE HARD TO CRACK.

3. CONCLUSIONS TIR STUDY STATE BEST PRODUCTS FOR AMERICAN EXPORTERS ARE SEMICONDUCTORS WHICH ALREADY ACCOUNT FOR MOST US COMPONENT EXPORTS TO SPAIN.

4. HOWEVER, PERSONAL INQUIRIES BY AMCONGEN BARCELONA SUGGEST LITTLE INTEREST AMERICAN PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT BECAUSE BULK OF EQUIPMENT PROVIDED BY IN-HOUSE MANUFACTURE OR EUROPEAN SUPPLIERS. ON THE OTHER HAND, STRONG INTEREST EXPRESSED IN US SUPPLIED RAW MATERIALS FOR
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PRODUCTION.

5. AT THIS POINT POST WOULD SUGGEST MISSION CONTENT BE ORIENTED MORE TOWARD COMPONENTS THAN PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT, WITH ADDITION, IF POSSIBLE, SUPPLIERS RAW MATERIALS FOR COMPONENT MANUFACTURE.

6. BARCELONA PREFERS SCHEDULE ONLY ONE DAY APPOINTMENTS. NO PROBLEM TWO DAYS APPOINTMENTS MADRID. SUGGEST MISSION STAY EXTRA DAY ZURICH IF WORTHWHILE.

7. POST SUGGESTS CONTACTING HULL CORP., HATBORO, PENN. MR. I. BRAILE, DIRECTOR AS POSSIBLE MISSION MEMBER. HULL SUPPLIES PRESSES AND MOLDS FOR ENCAPSULATION AND MOLDING OF COMPONENTS SUCH AS DIODES, INTEGRATED CIRCUITS, CAPACITORS, COILS WITH PLASTICS. BRAILE HAD BLANNED TO VISIT MADRID IN MAY BUT DID NOT SHOW.

8. NO PROBLEM ADVANCE OFFICER VISIT DEC 1-15.
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